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Attorney Docket No.: Actaris-6 (74-0241)

Applicant: Christophe LELEU

Serial No.: 09/914,512 PCT No.: PCT/FR00/00484

Int. Filing Date: February 25, 2000

Priority Date March 3, 1999

Title: A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASURING THE PROPAGATION TIME OF A SIGNAL, IN PARTICULAR AN ULTRASOUND SIGNAL

Examiner: PCT Legal Examiner Refael Bacares

Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

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First Named Inventor	Christophe LELEU
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Examiner Name	Rafael Bacares
Attorney Docket Number	Actaris-6

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Fee Transmittal Form  
 Fee Attached

Amendment / Reply  
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Affidavits/declaration(s)

Extension of Time Request

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Information Disclosure Statement

Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)

Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application

Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.63

Assignment Papers (for an Application)

Drawing(s)

Licensing-related Papers

Petition

Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application

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Terminal Disclaimer

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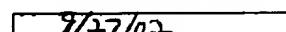
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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
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